CITY OF TEMPE NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

A Public Hearing will be held on the City of Tempe Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) and HOME programs annual applications for funding. The Hearing will be held February 3, 2005 at 7:30 p.m. in the City Council Chambers, 31 East Fifth Street, Tempe, Arizona.

The February 3, 2005 hearing will be to obtain views and proposals from citizens on how the CDBG and HOME funds the City may receive from the U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development in fiscal year 2005/2006 might be used. This hearing is also to obtain citizens views and comments on Community Development and Housing needs and priorities for the five year Consolidated Plan for FY 2005-2010 in the City of Tempe.

To aid citizens who might wish to participate in the planning process, the following is a sample list of eligible activities under the CDBG and HOME programs:

Affordable housing activities Property acquisition and disposition Property clearance and demolition Housing rehabilitation and preservation Housing services Housing construction Homeownership assistance Relocation assistance Lead-based paint testing and abatement Public services Public facilities and improvements Historic preservation Street improvements Neighborhood facilities Economic development Activities Planning and administration

Information regarding the City's CDBG Annual Action Plan and Consolidated Plan and the City's CDBG and HOME funding programs in general, is available at the City of Tempe Housing Services Division at 21 East Sixth Street, Suite #214, Tempe, Arizona (Phone: 480-350-8950, TDD 480-350-8913).

Written comments may be submitted to: City of Tempe Housing Services Division, P.O. Box 5002, Tempe, AZ 85280. All written comments received prior to the public hearing will be forwarded to City Council.

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